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For:)	
Method for Fabricating and)	
Identifying Integrated Circuits and)	
Self-Identifying Integrated Circuits)	

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

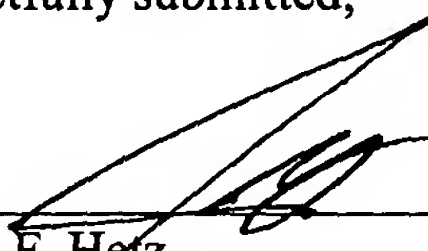
Pursuant to the obligation under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97-1.99, Applicant hereby submits document A1-A11 listed on the attached form PTO-1449 for consideration by the Examiner. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of documents A1-A10 are not enclosed since they were previously cited by or submitted to the Office in prior application serial number 10/068,195, which is being relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 120. A copy of document A11, which is the Examiner's Search History from the parent application, is enclosed herewith.

Further, Applicant notes that Claims 1-8 of the present application, which are being cancelled, have been allowed in the parent application

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	A2	5,835,396	11/10/98	ZHANG		
	A3	6,034,882	03/07/00	JOHNSON ET AL.		
	A4	6,185,122	02/06/01	JOHNSON ET AL.		
	A5	6,208,545	03/27/01	LEEDY		
	A6	6,236,587	05/22/01	GUDESEN ET AL.		
	A7	5,745,407	04/28/98	LEVY ET AL.		

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	A8	WO 99/14763	03/25/99	PCT			

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	A9	"EXOTIC memories, diverse approaches," EDN ASIA, September 2001, pages 22-33.
	A10	MAPLD 99, "Laser-formed Vertical Metallic Link and Potential Implementation in Digital Logic Integration," Zhang et al., 19 pages (1999).
	A11	Search History for U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/068,195, 2 pages (May 12, 2003).

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